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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
VOLKER HENNIGE, ET AL. : EXAMINER: RHEE, J. J.  
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FOR: ELECTRICAL SEPARATOR, :  
METHOD FOR MAKING SAME AND  
USE THEREOF IN HIGH-POWER  
LITHIUM CELLS

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action dated November 16, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.

Claims 1-25 remain pending in the application. Claims 1-12, 24 and 25 are active; Claims 13-23 stand withdrawn from consideration but are rejoinable.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.